

DECLARES BILL THAT IS NOW  
BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE IS NOT  
FAIR TO ALL NEVADA COUNTIES

The Nevada State Automobile association, through its officials, has announced a temporary opposition to the bill introduced in the legislature calling for the appropriation of \$50,000 of state funds to be used in constructing an automobile highway through certain eastern counties. The opposition to the measure is based upon the expectations of the American Automobile association, which has donated \$10,000,000 for the construction of a national highway. In this connection the state is expected to pay its pro rata of constructing the road, and as the route designated by the legislature fund has not been adopted as the transcontinental highway, it may become necessary for the legislature to make an additional appropriation.

In a letter to the Bonanza, S. R. Moore, treasurer of the state association, points out that should the eastern route later be adopted as a portion of the transcontinental road, all would be well, but should another route be adopted, then the state would be put to an additional expense. The end of the state association is best explained in the following communication from Moore:

"I am in receipt of a letter from President Patrick of the Nevada Automobile association under date of February 20 in which he calls the Tonopah Auto club's attention to this bill presented by Elko county asking for the appropriation by the state of \$50,000 and as the matter is of considerable importance, may we hope for your assistance along the line that we suggest.

"The bill in its present form calls

for the expenditure of this appropriation along a rather definite route in certain counties, but in fairness to all concerned we think that the appropriation should be made to be contingent on the definite location of the official route through Nevada for this transcontinental road that is being promoted.

"The American Automobile Manufacturers' association has pledged \$10,000,000 to be used only for the purchasing of material and the costs of the transportation of the same to the place where it is to be used, expecting the states and counties through which the road will pass to pay for the cost of placing the same. "As it seems most likely at present that the road will cross Nevada it seems most appropriate to consider it and have the appropriation so arranged that when the official route is designated the state may be in a position to take advantage of this offer to supply the material and use the appropriation for placing the same.

"If it is decided later that the route shall follow the one designated in the bill nothing will be lost to the northern counties, but if it is decided that the route shall follow the more southerly course and come down through the southern counties it will not then be necessary to avail ourselves of the offer, to make additional appropriation or to bond the state or counties to take advantage of the situation. Whichever section is fortunate in obtaining the definite location of the official road will get the benefit and the entire state at large will also benefit."

Support of Parents and Public  
Is Needed to Properly Conduct  
Schools States Superintendent

The hearty co-operation of the parents and people of Tonopah, is asked by Superintendent C. W. Smith of the Tonopah schools, that the local educational institutions might be conducted in a manner to achieve the best results.

Smith was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the sudden resignation of A. H. Yoder, and has already entered upon his duties. In the following communication, addressed to the general public, he declares that the school year is half gone and much remains to be accomplished. To accomplish results depends, not alone upon the capabilities of the teachers and school officers, but upon the attitude of the students and parents, and it is with the hope of securing such co-operation that he has accepted the office. The communication reads as follows:

There is a vital part of the city's public interests that has passed through a critical period. Change and reorganization have taken place, and a new administration of school affairs is to begin. You are all interested directly as parents or taxpayers. Are you willing to help? It is easy enough to tear down and criticize. But we need to boost and build up, less cussing and discussing and more co-operation. Just as truly as a house divided against itself can not stand just so true is it that no city can have successful schools without the cordial support and intelligent co-operation of parents, pupils and citizens.

The school year is more than half gone and much remains to be done. Are you willing to give the new administration a chance to bring forth results? Speaking for the teachers, I can assure you that our earnest endeavors will be directed toward hard and constant work. From you we ask a spirit of confidence and good will.

The board of trustees has seen fit to promote me from principal of the high school to city superintendent to fill out the unexpired term of Professor Yoder. I take up my new duties with a full realization that

at this particular time it is difficult position to fill. It is my earnest wish and purpose to so conduct the schools to justify to you and the trustees the confidence they have placed in me.

I believe I am starting out with the good will of the parents and the pupils and the support of the teachers. One cannot take a public office and maintain a firm hand without making at least a few enemies. It is idle to hope for that, or to expect to please everybody, but this I promise you—that all requests or complaints brought to me will be dealt with in a spirit of fair play and granted or rejected on their merits alone. I shall endeavor to give equal consideration to the welfare and rights of the child of the poorest parent with those of the wealthy and influential parent. The rules and regulations shall be enforced without fear or favor. Those who fail in their work will fail, and the consequences will fall where they may. If at the end of the school year I have satisfied the majority of people I shall feel that I have done my duty and shall seek reappointment. If the majority of you are not satisfied I shall be not only willing but glad to resign and go. The school board and you are the jury.

I believe in taking the public into one's confidence in school matters and telling you who pay liberally in taxes what we propose to do. After this outline of policy, I hope that during the remainder of the year the school can be less in the limelight and that we teachers can have a chance to get in and drill steadily. Then you can judge for yourselves the results. I am taking this occasion to make a general statement and a few suggestions, all of which have been reviewed and approved by the board.

Mr. Scott has been engaged as a teacher in the high school. The board has judged it best, considering the present peculiar condition of school affairs, to have no principal of the high school, and Mr. Scott is therefore to be teacher of sciences

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Regular Shipments of Marble From the New Nye  
County Quarries Near Beatty Now Being Made To  
Los Angeles by the American Carrara Marble Co.

Heretofore Italy has been supplying the world with the finest of statuary marble, but hereafter Nye county, Nevada, will assume the responsibility of supplying a large part of this nation. The property of the American Carrara Marble company, located near Beatty, in this county, contains a marble deposit that cannot be worked out during this generation, or the next generation, or for generations to come. The deposit is mammoth and contains every known kind of marble with but one exception. The exception is the Bird Antique, or that brand containing green mottled spots.

P. V. Perkins, vice president and general manager of the Carrara company, accompanied by M. J. Moore, postmaster at Rhyolite and also agent for the Carrara townsite company, arrived in Tonopah yesterday afternoon, having journeyed from the south end of the county by automobile. Both gentlemen were enthusiastic over the future, not only of the marble company, but of the south section of the county, which has been somewhat dormant during the past year or two.

The company has a capitalization of 2,500,000 shares with a par value of \$10. At the present time the stock is selling for \$20 per share and each share of preferred carries one share of common. It is an Arizona corporation.

For the past three years the company has maintained a diamond drill upon the property and the disclosures were of a startling nature. The deposit is located in a mountain that is two and one-half miles long, 900 feet in height and the drill cores show the deposit to exist to a depth of a quarter of a mile. What exists below that depth is not known and

it will probably be for future generations to make the discovery. The mountain is in a lime sediment formation.

The white marble for statuary purposes has been pronounced by experts to be equal, if not superior to the famous Carrara marble mined in Italy and it is from this source that the company derived its name.

Extensive improvements have been underway for some time in order to improve the mining facilities. A power line has been extended from Rhyolite to the property and all drills are now being operated with this power. Water rights have been purchased at Gold Center and on Monday a force of workmen will start laying pipe from the springs to the district. Two carloads of pipe have been received over the L. V. & T. road. A gravity flow will be maintained for nine miles and then the water will be pumped the remainder of the distance.

A contract to construct a spur track from the L. V. & T. road to the quarry will soon be awarded. The track will be three miles in length and the work will be started as soon as the preliminary surveys are checked up by the railroad engineers. The grade will be 7 per cent for a portion of the distance and 12 per cent will be the maximum. The track will be of standard gauge while motor driven apparatus will be used to transport all trains.

The new district will be known as Carrara and application has already been made for a postoffice. For the accommodation of the mine employees a townsite has been plotted and the survey work is now being completed. The townsite will be a model one, for in the center a plaza or park will be constructed, surrounding a

fountain in action. Water will be piped throughout the town and electric power will be used for lighting purposes. The company proposes to furnish free water for one year to each resident. Land has been set aside for churches of every denomination and also for a school house. As soon as the district can boast of five children of school age the company will erect a school house and employ a teacher.

Although the townsite has not been completely mapped out, it will be but a few days until houses are on the ground. Between 10 and 20 houses are now being moved from the adjacent camps to Carrara and as fast as they can be placed on trucks they will be transported to the new surroundings.

The first building upon the townsite was landed a day or two ago and is now occupied as a general merchandise store, conducted by P. C. Bovard of Ohio. The store carries a stock valued at \$12,000 and is transacting a lively business.

The townsite will be located 500 feet from the depot and the company owners have decided to make the district a model one. But one saloon will be allowed, in addition to a bar in the hotel. Stringent efforts will be made to enforce this provision, for it is desired to afford complete protection to the men in the employ of the marble company.

One car of marble has been shipped already and commencing next Thursday two cars will be shipped daily. All cars are billed to Los Angeles and from that point the shipments are distributed to various points in the United States. Perkins and Moore departed today for the southern district.

ALL NORTHERN MEXICAN REBELS  
ARE READY TO LAY DOWN ARMS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Consular reports indicate a more general acceptance of the new order of things in Mexico. At Vera Cruz it is reported the military authorities will work with the administration. Similar news comes from Mazatlan. The only signs of discord are in Acapulco, San Luis and Potosi.

Jim Butler Will  
Appear in Film

♦ Jim Butler, the discoverer of ♦  
♦ Tonopah, has signed his inten- ♦  
♦ tion of being present in Tonopah ♦  
♦ during the time that moving ♦  
♦ pictures are being taken of the ♦  
♦ scenes in this district. R. B. ♦  
♦ Davis, chairman of the board of ♦  
♦ county commissioners, communi- ♦  
♦ cated with Butler and yesterday ♦  
♦ received a reply from the dis- ♦  
♦ coverer of this district, stating ♦  
♦ that he would be present and ♦  
♦ would also assist in every way ♦  
♦ possible to the success of the ♦  
♦ project.

♦ Butler declared that Mrs. But- ♦  
♦ ler would also like to be pres- ♦  
♦ ent, not only for the purpose of ♦  
♦ taking part in the pictures, but ♦  
♦ to visit with many of her old ♦  
♦ time friends who continue to ♦  
♦ make Tonopah their home.

♦ Davis has informed Butler ♦  
♦ that the pictures will probably ♦  
♦ be taken some day next week ♦  
♦ and advised him to hurry the ♦  
♦ preparations for his journey.

MAY DEMAND  
RESIGNATION OF  
DANIEL KEEFE

GOVERNMENT COMMISSIONER  
CHARGED WITH ACCEPTING  
PASSES ON RAILROADS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Secretary Nagle reported to President Taft today that Daniel J. Keefe, commissioner general of immigration, has accepted free transportation for himself and family from railroad and steamship companies with which he deals officially, and recommended that Keefe's resignation be demanded.

pose of concentrating is to provide President Wilson facilities to carry out any plan he may contemplate to deal with the situation.

The summary execution of Madero without due process of law might be construed as demonstrating the absence of a proper government of Mexico.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 22.—The acceptance of the new administration in Mexico is not general, as the states of Coahuila, Sonora and Yucatan are not in accord with the new conditions. The Sorranos Indians in the state of Oaxaca have refused to recognize the government of Huerta. The governor of Oaxaca is alarmed and has asked for reinforcements. Federal troops have been sent to Jalapa, Orizaba and the state of Vera Cruz to maintain the balance of power.

The Indians of Oaxaca are on the warpath from personal motives. Felix Diaz is a native of that state, and the Indians declare since he was not made president in place of Huerta, it should have been given to Fideneco Hernandez, another native of Oaxaca.

Sympathizers of Madero stopped a train on which he was believed to be fleeing from the federal capital to the coast, with the object of rescuing him. The federal troops disarmed the men who were in command of General Velasco.

TROOPS IN READINESS  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The fifth brigade of the second division of the army, consisting of four infantry regiments, commanded by Brigadier General Smith, has been ordered to Galveston, Texas, and to be in readiness to embark for foreign service.

There is no present intention of sending the troops from Galveston to Mexico. It is indicated that the pur-

MINING DIVIDEND

BOSTON, Feb. 22.—A quarterly dividend of \$10 a share was declared by the Calumet and Hecla Mining company today.

TEMPERATURE REPORT

Highest temperature yesterday, 26; a year ago, 36; lowest last night, 15; a year ago, 15.

If it's of exceptional value at the price, it's sure to be advertised in the Bonanza, else the merchant would be hopelessly unprogressive.

GREATEST STRIKE IN HISTORY OF  
MANHATTAN IS MADE ON CRESCENT  
PROPERTY BY FORTUNATE LEASERS

Special to the Bonanza

MANHATTAN, Feb. 22.—What is without doubt the greatest gold discovery made in this camp in many a day has just been made on the east half of the Riley Fraction of the Manhattan Crescent company, adjoining the Big Pine, Gold Crater and Mayflower, the lucky discoverers being G. B. Rymal and J. W. Choklat. It is an immense body of enriched schist which has been prospected by open cuts and churn drill holes across a width of 40 to 50 feet, and every panning indicates that the entire mass will mill from \$15 to \$40 per ton. It is the greatest surface showing ever disclosed in the camp, and if present indications hold with depth, it will be as great a mine as the Big Four, and may possibly exceed it.

Several years ago considerable gold was "dry washed" from the two small gulches draining east and west from the ridge on which this new discovery has been made, and several shafts and open cuts were sunk on the ridge in an adjacent to the rich schist belt, but without the parties who did the work becoming aware of the great riches that lay at their feet. This was undoubtedly the source of the gold recovered by washing the fine schist which has eroded from the big dike, and been washed down into the little draws on each side of the ridge.

Hundreds of people have walked over it and done more or less prospecting all around it, but it remained for Rymal and Choklat to solve the secret of the source of the placer gold, and disclose what will undoubtedly

erly become one of the greatest gold mines in Manhattan, or perhaps in the state, with the exception of the Goldfield Consolidated.

The dike has been proven up across a width of 40 to 50 feet and for a distance of over 75 feet on its east and west trend across the ridge, and it is impossible to get a "skunk" from any panning, the values ranging from \$15 to \$40 or more per ton. Some of the lowest grade material will be screened before being milled, but there is apparently more of it than will mill \$20 to \$25 per ton without screening than there is of the lower grade material. Everyone who has inspected the new strike pronounces it the greatest surface showing he ever saw.

One of the peculiar features of this schist is the fact that it carries but little spar, the gold being contained in the cracks and seams, without the presence of spar which is found associated with every other body of enriched schist thus far discovered in the camp. This is probably one of the reasons why this particular dike has not been attractive to the hundreds of people who have passed over it.

The lucky lessees propose to "glory hole" the ridge, and will send everything but the scenery to the mill. There is a shaft 60 feet deep just at the edge of the rich schist, and they propose to put up a hoist and "glory hole" the ridge from there.

Rymal is practically a new arrival in the camp, having come here but

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Proposition Purchase Sewer  
By Nye County Is Favored By  
Taxpayers In Mass Meeting

Crowded mass meetings have been witnessed in Tonopah but none excelled in enthusiasm the gathering held last night at the brokerage office of Harry Epstein. The office

was well filled and every person present was afforded an opportunity to engage in the general discussion. Numerous propositions were brought up and all provoked argument. Probably the most important matter was the purchase of the Tonopah Sewerage & Drainage Co. property by the county for the purpose of effecting a reduction in rates.

J. Grant Crumley, president of the sewer company, informed the meeting that he would be willing to dispose of the property at a figure to be determined by a board of appraisers. The company would appoint two members to this board, the commissioners would likewise appoint two, and the four members would select a fifth. Crumley stated that at the present time there existed but 200 connections to the sewer lines, but with the forming of a sanitary district, additional subscribers would be had and a consequent reduction in rates would result. At the present time he was satisfied to have the rates for services prescribed by the public utility commission. The speaker declared that he had expended \$30,000 in the sewer company and that during the past year \$5000 had been spent for repairs and improvements. Of this entire amount not a cent in dividends had been returned.

H. H. Bacon, who presided over the meeting was empowered to appoint a committee to wait upon the commissioners and discuss the proposition with the board. The committee consisted of J. B. Tregloan, D. J. Fitzgerald and J. E. Peck. A report will be made at the meeting called for next Wednesday evening.

At the start of the meeting it was decided to effect the permanent organization of the Tonopah Industrial association. Bacon was named temporary chairman of this organization and J. E. Peck was selected as temporary secretary. A committee of five was named to draw up suitable by-laws and regulations. The committee consisted of W. W. Booth, John C. Martin and Larson Halliet. The members will select two others to assist in the work.

During the evening the discussion was turned toward the moving picture films that will be taken of Tonopah during the coming week. This proposition received the unanimous support of every person present and it was decided that every citizen of Tonopah constitute himself a member of the general committee that will meet the secretary of the mov-

ing picture firm and the operator who will arrive here in the morning.

CHICAGO IS DAMAGED  
FROM RECENT STORM

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—The damage from the sleet storm which gripped this city for 30 hours is estimated at a million dollars. Practically all telegraph wires are still down.

RIVERS AND BROWN TO  
MEET THIS AFTERNOON

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—Joe Rivers, the Mexican lightweight, and "Knockout" Brown of New York will meet in a 20-round contest this afternoon at the Vernon arena. The odds are 6 to 10 in favor of Rivers.

ELECTRIC CAR AND AUTO  
COLLIDE; TWO KILLED

(By Associated Press)

OAKLAND, Feb. 22.—A collision between a Key Route electric car and an automobile killed A. F. Holton and W. R. Garrison, and injured A. G. Smith and his young daughter today. All are of Berkeley.

CASTRO ON PLEASURE  
JAUNT TO CUBA ISLE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—General Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, left here suddenly today for Cuba. He said it was merely a pleasure trip and he would return soon.

SUSTAINS BLUE LAWS

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 22.—"Municipal blue laws" forbidding butcher-shops and moving picture shows to be open on Sunday were sustained today by the state supreme court. The decisions were on appeals from the enforcement of city ordinances of Springfield.

POSSE CAPTURES FUGITIVE

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 22.—After being trailed for 17 hours by an armed posse, Marshal Walker of Lexington, Tenn., who yesterday shot and seriously wounded Harry Meredith at Rye, was captured early this morning on the outskirts of Rye.

STOCK EXCHANGES  
OBSERVE HOLIDAY

Owing to today being a legal holiday no session were held of the New York stock exchange or the San Francisco stock exchange. Both boards will resume sessions Monday morning.

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